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INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-2

SUBJ: AMCITS IN DISTRESS IN UGANDA

1. AMEMB NAIROBI RECEIVED DISTURBING REPORT THAT FIVE AMERICAN TOURISTS WERE PICKED UP IN UGANDA 8 OR 9 NOVEMBER BY UGANDAN MILITARY. TWO FEMALES WERE RAPED AND HAVE NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE. THREE MALES WERE BEATEN INTO UNCONSCIOUSNESS AND WERE TAKEN TO MULAGO HOSPITAL, WHERE THEY WERE TREATED BY AN AFRICAN DOCTOR AND A SOUTH KOREAN DOCTOR. AT LAST REPORT THEY WERE STILL UNCONSCIOUS. MILITARY HAD APPARENTLY ACCUSED THEM OF BEING AMERICAN SPIES.

2. CIRCUMSTANCES OUTLINED PARA 2 STATE 225868 STILL APPLY. REQUEST BONN PASS ABOVE MESSAGE TO FONOFF FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION.

3. DEPT IS ADVISING UGANDA EMB WASH OF NAIROBI REPORT AND SOLICITING ADDITIONAL INFO.

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4. FOR NAIROBI: PLEASE MAKE BONN ACTION ADDRESSEE

ON SUBSEQUENT MESSAGES THIS OR ANY W/W CASE OF EMERGENT
NATURE UNTIL INSTRUCTED OTHERWISE. RUSH

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